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 for greater precaution than has been
 heretofore observed in preventing
 the spread of the malignant disease.
 They also measurably explain the
 failure of systematic efforts for pre-
 venting persons apparently cured
 may continue to spread the out-
 rage.

EUROPE ON THE BRINK OF WAR

For nearly twenty years the Euro-
 pean skies have been filled with sig-
 nals and portents, every wind blowing
 toward the martial camps of the
 continent has been echoes of the re-
 frain "War North, South, East
 and West, bloody war. But with
 persistent repetition the cry of
 "war" has lost its effectiveness.

The outlook is, however, most alarm-
 ing. The peace of Europe has been
 somewhat maintained since the Powers
 began to swell their armies to the
 present enormous dimensions but
 the strain is becoming too great,
 and it is only a matter of time
 before a break at the point of
 greatest weakness and Italy of
 all the countries which are grinn-
 ing under the burden of the prevail-
 ing militarism is least able to longer
 bear the load. To quote a well-
 known German statesman, Italy
 has become a grave danger to the
 peace of Europe. It would be
 well to regard events there with the
 greatest attention in order to guard
 against unpleasant surprises.

The number of troops that have
 been poured into Sicily by the Ital-
 ian Government far exceeds the "em-
 ergency" necessities of the Italian
 Government. The recent order for the
 increase of the Italian military cadres
 to their full normal strength in
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 face of a decline in the Italian custom
 receipts of 12,000,000 in the single
 month of December. Officers in com-
 mand of the Italian and engineers in
 Italy and of the Gulf of
 Genoa and Venice have been or-
 dered to put the fortresses and shore
 batteries upon a war footing. The
 Italian public, feeling against France
 already sufficiently irritated by the
 acquittal of the ringleaders of the
 French mob which assaulted and
 murdered the Italian war engineer
 Auguste Merite is being worked up
 still more by the rumor that the
 Sicilian rioters are being secretly ab-
 sconded by France.

Not is this all. The feeling is be-
 coming, to be generally entertained
 that the Triple Alliance cannot
 much longer be held together.
 National rivalries and perhaps
 even the old enmities must soon com-
 pel Italy to resume her old and
 old from her expensive entangle-
 ment with Austria and Germany.
 Furthermore, the fact that it is
 prevailing opinion that the central
 and which is finding expression
 through the times is created by
 sedition in the ranks of the
 German army is a heavy burden
 upon the Triple Alliance.

The Triple Alliance, threatening
 with the skill of the Kaiser's
 plan for a larger time by refusing to
 vote the necessary supplies with a
 state of things bordering on civil war
 existing in Austria, Crown Prince
 of Austria and Galicia, the in-
 creasing material and political dif-
 ficulties besetting the path of the
 Italian Government, it may well be
 that the men of the Triple Al-
 liance are agreed that the time has
 come to strike a blow in order to
 prevent the European hegemony passing
 from them and over to France and
 Russia. It is possible of course that
 the arguments may once more prove
 decisive but there is a consensus
 among the most experienced observers
 that the end of 1934 will show con-
 siderable life at the map of
 Europe.

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A Young Man's Chance For Success
 Edward W. Bok, himself a shining il-
 lustration of the success of his own
 times, contributes to The Cosmopolitan
 a paper on "The Young Man in Busi-
 ness." Mr. Bok, who has been suc-
 cessful in business for many years, tells
 of his own experiences and offers
 advice to young men who are enter-
 ing business for the first time. He
 says that the most important thing
 for a young man is to have a clear
 head and a steady nerve. He also
 says that a young man should be
 willing to work hard and to take
 responsibility for his own actions.

FROM THE SAN JUAN

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In these days of special extra inducements, closing outs, etc., etc., the public is naturally at a loss to decide where to do their trading. Now many houses put forth the claim that theirs is the only place, we do not say this, but

If You Want Warranted Merchandise,
If You Want Large Assortments,
If You Want Lowest Prices,

In short, if you want to trade in a place where ONE PRICE RULES, where you don't have to pay double price on the second purchase you make, and satisfaction is guaranteed or you can have your money, you must buy of THE MAMMOTH. There is a smile on every face as you enter the store, customers asking what makes you feel so good that you smile all over. We smile because it is a satisfaction to know that the public appreciates our efforts, and when we advertise a special sale they know it is a legitimate sale. On

MONDAY, JAN. 15th,

We advertised we would sell any article in our store at one-fourth off, or just seventy-five cents on a dollar, to continue until Saturday, February 3rd. We have done so, off sale, do so at once, as you only have a few more days left to buy yourself a Suit, Overcoat, Furnishing Goods and Hats at one-fourth off, or just seventy-five cents on the dollar.

A WORD TO MOTHERS!

This is your last opportunity. We ask you again, do you need a Suit or Overcoat for your boy? If you do, come at once, don't hesitate. Your boy may not need it to-day or this week, but he may need it next week or next month, so come at once, and take advantage of our great special one-fourth off sale. Only this week left to buy your boy a Suit or Overcoat at one-fourth off, or in other words just

Seventy-Five Cents on the Dollar!

Here are Examples of How Goods are Going:

Children's Suits, Ages From 4 to 14.

Suits	now	to	it	41
\$1.00	2.00			1.00
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Boys' Suits, Ages From 14 to 19 Years.

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Mothers, don't miss this opportunity to buy your boys' clothes at just Seventy-Five Cents on a Dollar, or in other words a saving of from \$1.00 to \$3.00 on every Suit. This is our final call. Sale positively ends Saturday night at 11 o'clock, February 3d.

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The Columbian Literary Society

Will install officers to-morrow evening at 7 o'clock in the Society Hall, room 19, third floor of the Cincinnati block. This is the beginning of a new term, and it is desired that there be full attendance. After the installation the following program will be given:

1.Invocation by Rev. Mr. Smith.

2.Reading of the Declaration of Independence by Mr. Jones.

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CITY ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The announcements of names of candidates for position on the city ticket will be published in this column for the price of \$2.00 which must be in all cases accompany the copy.

We are authorized to announce the name of THOMAS GREENLAND, Sr., as a Democratic candidate for nomination for Mayor of Lima.

COHEN THOMAS.

DEAR SIR:—The expenses of the hour require the exercise of prudence and economy in every department. The true interest of these principles are best stated to represent the wishes of the public. We hereby announce the name of John Bland as a candidate for member of City Council for First Ward.

MISS MARY GREEN.

We are authorized to announce the name of THOMAS W. JOHNS, as a candidate for nomination for Street Commissioner of the City of Lima.

We are authorized to announce the name of MICHAEL BOYRKE as a candidate for nomination for Street Commissioner of the City of Lima.

We are authorized to announce the name of HENRY O'HENRY as a candidate for nomination for Street Commissioner of Lima, subject to the decision of the Democratic City Primaries.

EDWARD THOMPSON: Please announce my name as a candidate for Street Commissioner subject to the decision of the Democratic Party.

Yours, STEPHEN KATHLIN.

We are authorized to announce the name of F. X. GALLAGHER, as a candidate for nomination for Street Commissioner of Lima.

We are authorized to announce the name of WILLIAM E. KENNEDY as a candidate for nomination for Street Commissioner of Lima, subject to the decision of the Democratic City Primaries.

TALES OF THE TOWN.

Both—to Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Malloy—a son.

The Elks meet this evening at 7 o'clock prompt.

James Ogden is confined to his bed from illness.

Robert Leedom is the new janitor of the Faurot block.

Guy Moore is able to be out, after a severe attack of pneumonia.

A long distance telephone will be placed in the Western Union telegraph office.

The "Trip to Chinatown" Company left for Sandusky City via Kenton, this morning.

Mrs. H. L. Johnston, of 225 South Pine street, is recovering from a very severe attack of bronchitis.

A number of Lima Elks went up to Findlay this afternoon to witness the minstrel entertainment given by the Findlay Elks.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Saldens Abbot, of 960 Bellefontaine avenue, died this morning, and will be buried at ten o'clock to-morrow.

A big audience greeted Hoyt's A Trip to Chinatown at Faurot's last night. The company was an excellent one, and the presentation created a continuous laugh.

The Hockenberger saloon, at Toledo, the purchase of which Charles King and Dan Freely, of this city, were contemplating, has been bought by a Carey man for \$28,900.

The Modern Invalid

Has tastes medicinally. In keeping with other laxatives, a remedy must be pleasantly acceptable in form, purely wholesome in composition, truly beneficial in effect, and entirely free from every objectionable quality. If really ill he consults a physician; if constipated he uses the gentle family laxative Syrup of Figs.

Car Thieves at Work.

The C. H. & D., is suffering greatly at the hands of what seems to be an organized band of car thieves who pilfer cars of merchandise in the vicinity of Toledo and Perryburg. The company has notified its conductors to exert themselves in an effort to prevent future robberies.

Dressed Rabbits

And Red Souper Fish, at Kissel's, 11

FIRED.

A Traveling Man Ejected From the Lima House.

Where He Was Found in the Room of a Member of the Hoyt Company.

There was a good deal of excitement on one of the upper floors of the Lima House for a few minutes shortly after last midnight.

E. H. Amillon, a traveling man acquaintance of Cora Tennie, one of members of the "A Trip to Chinatown" Company, was found in Cora's room.

After the show at Faurot's Amillon took Cora to supper and, as they were both stopping at the same hotel Amillon did not have much trouble in finding his way.

TO CORA'S ROOM

unmolested. They had been there for some time when there was a knock on the door. Not suspecting it was any one who knew them, the door was opened and in stepped manager Thomas. There was a lively scene for a few minutes, but Amillon finally quieted the furious manager without trouble. Night Clerk Willower was notified and poured oil on the troubled waters by having Amillon leave the hotel.

The company left for Sandusky City this morning. Amillon was still in town this afternoon.

SENATOR LAWLOR

Does Not Cling to the Councilship Because He Wants It—He Will Get Out of the Way if Anyone Wants His Job on that Board.

The Lima Gazette of yesterday devotes a portion of its space to a criticism of Senator Lawlor for being senator and at the same time being a member of council from the First Ward. Senator Lawlor said to The Times-Democrat yesterday that if any of his constituency wished his place in the Council, they were welcome to it, but that he did not see any advantage in calling for special election to a vacancy on the board of councilmen for the short term that yet remains before the expiration of his term, for the matter of special elections is expensive, and the taxes of Lima are high enough already.

In about two months at the regular Spring election a successor to Mr. Lawlor will be chosen, but it would be folly to think of holding a special election to elect a successor sooner than that.

EN ROUTE WEST.

Policeman Haller Overtakes a Run Away Pair.

Last night policeman Haller found a couple of boys, each about twelve years, at the P. E. W. & C. depot and learned from them that they had run away from their homes in Cleveland and were bound for St. Louis. The officer escorted them to the police station, where they were locked up and Chief of Police Hoelz, of Cleveland, notified. This morning Chief Stockton received a telegram from that city stating that the boys' parents had been found, and requesting him to hold the boys until they arrived for them.

ABOUT PEOPLE.

Who They Are, Where They Have Been and Are Going.

Miss Edith Ferrall is visiting in Findlay.

Frank Kenney, of St. Marys, was at the Hotel French today.

A. J. Hubbard, of the Standard Oil company, was down from Toledo today.

J. H. Gorman, of Chillicothe, was called here by the death of his brother's child.

Mrs. G. B. Webb is the guest of friends in Lancaster. She will remain two weeks.

W. A. Armstrong and C. N. Haskell, of Ottawa, were at the Hotel French last night.

Mrs. J. J. Collins and Mrs. Chas. Nichols, of Wapakoneta, are in the city visiting friends.

Geo. W. Sauer, President of the Ohio Southern, came in from Springfield this afternoon, accompanied by Assistant Dick.

E. T. Connelly returned this morning from Brunson, Mich., where he was called by the serious illness of his brother, who is now on the road to recovery.

Do You Use

Evaporated cream or unsweetened Condensed Milk, and desire the best? Then obtain from your grocer, Dr. Williams' Peppermint Cream, which ranks first in quality. Prepared by New York Condensed Milk Company.

Money to Loan.

I have an unlimited amount of money to loan on city and farm property at very lowest rates of interest, offered in northwestern Ohio.

T. J. WILKES.

Religious Differences.

The sanctified people of Auglaize county are holding revival meetings at New Hampshire, near Wapakoneta. Last night they had Rev. J. B. Masters, pastor of the Methodist church, arrested for disturbing their meeting and had him lodged in the county jail at Wapakoneta. More trouble is expected.

Left the P. O.

Frank Willower, who has been an employee in the Lima post office for the past five years, has resigned, and left today for St. Marys, where he has taken a position as ganger for the Manhattan Oil Company.

SOCIALLY.

The handsome home of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Cole, at Metcalf and Spring streets, was the scene of a pleasant affair last evening. Their home, which is excellently arranged for a social gathering, was thrown open to about thirty couple, some of whom passed the time at cards, while others visited the upper floor and danced to music by the Ocean Mandolin Club. Others visited the music room, where the more proficient pianists rendered selections to the delight of their hearers. The guests were ushered into the dining room about half past ten o'clock and a dainty luncheon served.

The stormy weather caused many to send regrets.

Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Fredericks, of 518 West North street, entertained the following on Tuesday evening, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Langrum: Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Richey, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Crites, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Taylor, and Mrs. W. H. Harrington. The party was a congenial one and a very pleasant evening was spent at cards. Luncheon was served.

The committee having in charge the B. P. O. Elks mid-winter social have completed the arrangements for the party, which occurs to-morrow evening. Nearly two hundred invitations have been sent out, and should the weather and indoors there will be very few if any regrets. Several brief addresses, music, etc., followed by dancing, cards and banqueting, comprise the entertainment feature.

A luncheon was given in Washington yesterday afternoon by Mrs. Senator Bruce in honor of Mrs. Stevenson. The table spread in the great dining room of the Concord House was set with a service of gold. Three gold eagles decorated the center of the table, and based on all the dishes of fruits and sweets that were ranged around the length.

Mrs. Bruce's guests were Mrs. Gresham, Mrs. Stanley Matthews, Mrs. Richardson, Mrs. Goddard, Mrs. Harriet Lane Johnston, Mrs. Boardman, Mrs. Ward, Mrs. Peon, Mrs. Carey, Miss Woodbury, Mrs. Fisher, Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. Mue, Covarrubias, Mrs. Bassett, Mrs. Belknap, Mrs. Jackson, Mrs. Edes, Miss Cooper, Mrs. Evans and Mrs. Curtis.

JUDGE RICHIE INDIGNANT.

He Scores a Shelby County Jury at Sidney.

The jury in the State of Ohio vs. Harry Gearhart retired at 5:35 last evening and their deliberations did not cease until 10:12 this morning. They are said to have taken forty-eight ballots, the first of which stood eight for acquittal and four for conviction of the crime with which he was charged, manslaughter. After being out six hours and fifteen minutes they brought in a verdict charging him with assault. Judge Richie was greatly displeased at their verdict and scored the jury for their seemingly disregard of evidence and his charge. Gearhart was present. He was ordered to stand up and the judge sentenced him to pay a fine of \$100 and the costs in the case, amounting in all to about \$250.—Sidney News.

CAME BACK

But He Was Several Days Late and Suspicion Was Caused.

William Coker, the hibernian, applied to Chief Stockton this morning for the arrest of a man named E. M. Bridges, who was missing with a horse and buggy belonging to him. Bridges is a Bible agent, who came here a week ago Tuesday and hired a rig from Coker for the purpose of canvassing the country, and was to return the rig last Tuesday day. He had not returned this morning, and Coker, becoming uneasy, applied to the police, but while the Chief was making an investigation Bridges made his appearance at the hibernian. He had been delayed on his route longer than he had anticipated.

THE THOMPSON FAILURE.

The Federal Court Restores the Claims to Possession.

The Toledo Blade publishes Judge Ricks' decree in restoring the claims to possession of the Thompson stock, as was mentioned in The Times-Democrat yesterday. The decree reads as follows:

"The court, being duly advised in the premises, finds that the J. B. Claiborn Co. is entitled to the immediate possession of the chattel property as against all parties hereto. And it is therefore ordered, adjudged and decreed that Wm. H. Fleming, the receiver forthwith file his final report herein and forthwith deliver possession of said chattel property to the said J. B. Claiborn Co., and to restore said company to the same position which it occupied with reference to said property immediately prior to the appointment of said receiver."

THE POLICE.

Their Beats Changed This Morning.

This morning Chief Stockton assigned the patrolmen to their beats for this month, as follows:

Night force—Barker, east of Main north of Wayne; Baker, east of Main, High to river; Blair, west of Main, north of Wayne; Baker, west of Main, High to river; Kennedy and Leiman, south of river.

Day force—Maries, north Wayne; Jackson, Wayne to High; Wingate, High to river; Crox, south of river.

Good or Bad?

This morning Elmer A. Palmer, a State dairy and food inspector, swore out a warrant for the arrest of John P. Adams, on the charge of selling adulterated buckwheat flour. Adams pleaded guilty, and his case was set for hearing a week from today.

MIGHTY CLOSE.

Col. Lemert in the Hands of Gold Mine Sharks.

Who Attempt to Work Him With a Swindling Scheme.

PORT WAYNE, Ind., Feb. 1.—(Special.)—Col. W. C. Lemert, lately escaped being the victim of a bold swindling scheme here today. A few days ago Thomas Carpenter, a Colorado miner, called at Buerys to find Wallace Lemert. He found the Colonel and said he was going to buy a gold mine from William Harris. Carpenter wanted identification and desired Lemert to negotiate the deal with Harris. Lemert and Carpenter went to Lima. Harris was met there and later came to Port Wayne. Harris was at the Plaza Hotel. Carpenter got some mail here and told Lemert to read it, as he could not read. The letters contained:

A BLOWING ACCOUNT

of the mine and advised its purchase immediately. The letters purported to come from Colorado. Col. Lemert noticed Port Wayne post mark on them and called Carpenter's attention to it. Carpenter gave himself away by reading the post mark. Lemert left the hotel at once to look for an officer, when Carpenter rushed to Harris' room and informed him that the plot had been discovered and the two men gave private detective James Wilkinson the slip and escaped. Carpenter claimed to be concealing the fact of his presence in Port Wayne from Harris. Lemert was to purchase the mine. Col. Lemert left for Buerys at noon and attempted to conceal the fact that he was nearly dazed.

TOUCHED HIM.

Stranger Robbed in the C. & E. Depot—The Thief Caught.

Night before last a strange man went to Leont, Bladen, to whom he stated that he had been robbed of \$50 at the C. & E. depot. He also said that the man who robbed him and went to Kenton, where he telegraphed to the chief of police and gave a description of the robber. Policeman Rice arrested a man who was stealing a ride on east bound extra, No. 319, on the C. & E., and who answered the description. The prisoner gave his name as L. S. Mullins, of Olean, N. Y., and said he was on his way to Cleveland. Cash to the amount of \$30.25 was found in his pockets. The man who claimed to have been robbed stated that if he could recover his money he would not prosecute the thief.

THE WRONG MAN

But the Next Trip Resulted Differently.

Last Monday evening Mrs. S. J. Sawmiller, of West High street, while driving out the Spangerville road had a wheel torn off her carriage in a heavy wagon which was driven in a decidedly reckless manner, by Chas. Croft.

Mrs. Sawmiller filed a complaint before Judge Douglas, who issued a warrant which was placed in the hands of Chief Stockton, who drove to the Croft farm, about twelve miles south-west of the city, where he arrested John Baker, who was thought to be the man wanted, but when brought to the city it was found he was not the one. The Chief, accompanied by policeman Patton, made another trip and found Croft, who pleaded guilty and was fined \$1 and costs by Judge Douglas. The arrest was made last evening.

A Chance to Make Money.

County right for sale for the only successful Crude Oil Store in existence. Cook Store can be seen burning at northeast corner Public Square, in the room formerly occupied by American Clothing Co.

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About 12 o'clock last night the electric light station engines were shut down for about an hour on account of the oil used for fuel giving out.

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Superintendent Copen, who has charge of the work, has reached Middletown, and will arrive in Lima in a few days.

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